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SUBJ: PRESIDENT LOPEZ PORTILLO'S VISIT TO THE U.S.

1. AT THE FOREIGN SECRETARY'S REQUEST I CALLED ON HIM AT HIS HOME ON SUNDAY MORNING, JANUARY 30, AND HE REVIEWED WITH ME THE PROGRAM FOR PRESIDENT LOPEZ PORTILLO'S VISIT AS HE SEES IT, BASED ON COMMUNICATIONS FROM AMBASSADOR MARGIN AND PRESUMABLY THE LATTER'S CONVERSATIONS WITH DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND OTHER OFFICIALS. WHILE HE WAS UNABLE TO GIVE ME A COPY OF THIS PROPOSED SCHEDULE, THE FOLLOWING IS BASED ON NOTES I TOOK.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13
ARRIVE IN WILLIAMSBURG DURING THE COURSE OF THE AFTERNOON AND PROGRAM SEEMS TO BE AS ENVISAGED BY DEPARTMENT.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14
10:30 A.M. - ARRIVE AT WHITE HOUSE FOR WORKING MEETING WITH PRESIDENT CARTER.
1:00 P.M. - LUNCHEON AT STATE DEPT OFFERED BY SECRETARY VANCE.
4:00 P.M. - MEETING AT BLAIR HOUSE MRS. KATHERINE GRAHAM, WASHINGTON POST.
4:30 P.M. - MR. ROBERT MCNAMARA OF THE WORLD BANK.
5:00 P.M. - MR. WITTEVEEN OF THE INTERNATIONAL MONTEARY FUND.
5:30 P.M. - MR. ORTIZ MENA, INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK
8:00 P.M. - DINNER AT THE WHITE HOUSE OFFERED BY PRESIDENT

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AND MRS. CARTER. (FOREIGN SECRETARY SAID HE UNDERSTANDS DRESS WOULD BE DARK SUIT FOR MEN AND LONG DRESS FOR LADIES. I SENSE THAT THE MEXICANS WOULD PREFER DARK SUIT AS IN THEIR PRESIDENTIAL TRADITION BUT I AM SURE WOULD ACCEPT BLACK TIE AS THEY HAVE ON OTHER OFFICIAL TRIPS IN THE PAST.)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

8:00 A.M. - BREAKFAST AT BLAIR HOUSE WITH PRIVATE BANKS.

(DAVID ROCKEFELLER HAD INVITED LOPEZ PORTILLO FOR MEETING IN NEW YORK SPONSORED BY COUNCIL OF FOREIGN RELATIONS. I BELIEVE THIS IS SUBSTITUTE.)

10:00 A.M. - LINCOLN MEMORIAL - WREATH LAYING

11:00 A.M. - WORKING MEETING WITH PRESIDENT CARTER AND/OR VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE. (THE MEXICANS ARE OBVIOUSLY EAGER THAT PRESIDENT LOPEZ PORTILL HAVE A SECOND OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH PRESIDENT CARTER HIMSELF, PARTICULARLY AFTER HIS CONVERSATIONS WITH THE PREVIOUS AFTERNOON WITH THE IFI PRINCIPALS.

12:00 NOON - LUNCH AT THE NATIONAL PRESS CLUB.

15:30 P.M. - STATUE OF BENITO JUAREZ - WREATH LAYING

4:00 P.M. - PAN AMERICAN UNION - ADDRESS PERMANENT COUNCIL COUNCIL OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES.

6:00 P.M. - OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH OTHER U.S. OFFICIALS -- SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL AND SECRETARY KREBS WERE SPECIFICALLY MENTIONED.

8:00 P.M. - RECEPTION - MEXICAN EMBASSY. (MEXICANS OBVIOUSLY HOPE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER WILL MAKE AN APPEARANCE.)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:00 A.M. - GODDARD SPACE CENTER VISIT, FOLLOWING ON WHICH DEPART FOR CHICAGO. THE DETAILS OF THE CHICAGO VISIT ARE STILL PENDING. BUT THE ENVISAGE MEETING WITH MAYOR, THE GOVERNOR AND THE MEXICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY.

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RETURN TO WASHINGTON LATE IN THE EVENING FOR PRIVATE DINNER AT BLAIRE HOUSE.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17

8:00 A.A. BREAKFAST WITH JAMES RESTON

9:30 A.M. SEPARATE VISITS FROM JOE ALBRITTON AND CARL ROWAN.

11:00 A.M. - COURTESY CALL ON CHIEF JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT.

11:30 A.M. - ARRIVE CAPITOL IN ORDER TO ADDRESS CONGRESS. THIS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY LUNCH WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS. THE INTENTION IS TO PRESENT DECORATION OR OTHER SUITABLE TOKEN TO FORMER SENATOR MANSFIELD IN VIEW OF HIS LONG FRIENDSHIP FOR MEXICO.

3:00 P.M. - RETURN TO BLAIR HOUSE PRIOR TO DEPARTURE FOR MEXICO CITY.

2. FOREIGN SECRETARY ALSO GAVE ME THE TENTATIVE LIST OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY AS FOLLOWS: PRESIDENT AND MRS. JOSE LOPEZ PORTILLO; JOSE RAMON LOPEZ PORTILLO (SON); FOREIGN SECRETARY AND MRS. SANTIAGO ROEL; SECRETARY OF FINANCE

JULIO RODOLFO MOCTEZUMA CID; PRESIDENT OF THE SUPREME COURT LIC. AUGUSTIN TELLEZ CRUCES; SENATE MAJORITY LEADER JOAQUIN GAMBOA PASCOE; SECRETARY OF COMMERCE LIC. FERNANDO SOLANA; CHIEF OF THE PRESIDENTIAL MILITARY STAFF BG MIGUEL ANGEL GODINEZ BRAVO; AMBASSADOR AND MRS. HUGO MARGAIN, UNDER SECRETARY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS JOSE JUAN DE OLLOQUI.

3. IN ADDITION TO THE MEMBERS OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY, THE FOLLOWING WOULD ALSO TRAVEL WITH THE PRESIDENT IN ORDER TO BE AVAILABLE FOR CONSULTATION: LIC. HECTOR HERNANDEZ CERVANTES, UNDERSECRETARY OF COMMERCE, UNDER-SECRETARY OF FINANCE MIGUEL DE LA MADRID; PRESIDENTAL ECONOMIC ADVISOR RAFAEL IZQUIERDO; DIRECTOR OF THE MEXICAN FOREIGN TRADE INSTITUTE ANRIAN LAJOUS, BANK OF MEXICO DIRECTOR OF FOREIGN RELATIONS ALFREDO PHILLIPS OLMEDA; AND INTERPRETER ITALIA MORAYTA.

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